

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

1-40. (Cancelled).

41. (Currently amended) A method for providing a drawer guide for a drawer in a chamber through which there is a flow of liquid or gas at an elevated pressure, comprising the steps of:

providing a plurality of guide rails for said drawer guide, wherein one guide rail is associated with said drawer and another guide rail is associated with said chamber;

providing a rolling member assembly with rolling members for guiding one of the guide rails in a displaceable manner on another guide rail in a direction of movement of the drawer;

providing a cage for the rolling members;

~~providing a rear rail portion on at least one of the guide rails, said rear rail portion including at least one partial section that extends in a direction of movement of the drawer and is provided with fluid passage openings in such a manner that a liquid or a gas present in said chamber is adapted to flow through the guide rail when the chamber is in use,~~
and/or

providing a rear cage portion on said cage, said rear cage portion including at least one partial section that extends in the direction of movement of the drawer and is provided with fluid passage openings in such a manner that said liquid or ~~[[a]]~~ gas is adapted to flow through the cage when the chamber is in use.

42. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein:

~~a ratio of a surface area of the fluid passage openings in the guide rail to a total surface area of the rear rail portion in partial section amounts to at least approximately 20 %, and/or~~

a ratio of a surface area of the fluid passage openings in the cage to a total surface area of the rear cage portion in the partial section amounts to at least approximately 20%.

43. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein:
a ratio of a surface area of the fluid passage openings in the guide rail to a total surface area of the rear rail portion in the partial section amounts to at most approximately 90 %, and/or
a ratio of a surface area of the fluid passage openings in the cage to a total surface area of the rear cage portion in the partial section amounts to at most approximately 90%.
44. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein at least one of the partial sections that is provided with fluid passage openings extends over at least one third of ~~[[the]]~~ a length of the rear rail portion or the rear cage portion.
45. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein ~~[[the]]~~ a sum of ~~[[the]]~~ lengths of the partial sections that are provided with fluid passage openings is greater than approximately two thirds of a total length of the rear rail portion or the rear cage portion.
46. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein at least one partial section of ~~[[a]]~~ one of the guide rails comprises fluid passage openings whose lateral distance from at least one of the lateral edge edges of ~~[[the]]~~ an associated rear rail portion is less than approximately a quarter of ~~[[the]]~~ a width of the rear rail portion.
47. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein a pertinent partial section of the rear rail portion or that of the rear cage portion comprises at least three substantially congruent fluid passage openings.
48. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein ~~[[the]]~~ an extent of each of the fluid passage openings in the rear rail portion or in the rear cage portion is at most approximately 5 mm in at least one of the ~~directions~~ direction in which it extends.
49. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein ~~[[the]]~~ an extent of each of the fluid passage openings in the rear rail portion or in the rear cage portion is at most approximately 5 mm in the direction of movement of the drawer.

50. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein at least one of the guide rails of the drawer guide and at least one cage for the rolling members of the same drawer guide are provided with fluid passage openings.
51. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 50, wherein when the drawer guide is pushed completely into an interior of said chamber, at least one fluid passage opening in the guide rail and at least one fluid passage opening in the cage for the rolling members are aligned with one another.
52. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein at least one of the guide rails of the drawer guide comprises a rolling member running track which is provided with at least one fluid passage opening.
53. (Previously presented) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein at least one rolling member assembly of the drawer guide comprises rolling members in the form of balls.
54. (Previously presented) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein at least one rolling member assembly of the drawer guide comprises rolling members which are each in single-point contact with a rolling member running track of a guide rail of the drawer guide that is associated with the rolling members.
55. (Previously presented) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein the drawer guide comprises at least one further guide rail arranged between the guide rail associated with the drawer and the guide rail associated with the chamber.
56. (Currently amended) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein the drawer guide allows the drawer to be withdrawn substantially completely from ~~[[the]]~~ an interior of the chamber.
57. (Previously presented) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein the chamber comprises a washing machine chamber.

58. (Previously presented) A method in accordance with claim 41, wherein the chamber comprises a dishwasher chamber.